

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
 FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2001 - 1000 MST
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 1

CURRENT SITUATION:

The Southern Area reported eight new large fires this past week, with seven large fires reaching containment. Initial attack activity was reported on a daily basis in the Southern Area. A high pressure system is expected to return to the Southern Area, with partly cloudy skies across much of the region and high temperatures returning to near normal.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

STAGECOACH, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is near Lakeland, FL. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Jones) is assigned. No structures have been lost.

BIG BEND, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is in monitor status.

TORY ISLAND, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is near Homestead, FL and is in monitor status.

RED BEACH, Florida Division of Forestry. Fire crews continued to work spot fires.

FLICKA, Florida Division of Forestry. No other information was received.

BAHIA, Florida Division of Forestry. No other information was received.

JOAN, Florida Division of Forestry. No other information was received.

STAFFORD COMMAND, Florida Division of Forestry. No other information was received.

TALL PINE, Florida Division of Forestry. No other information was received.

LEYRY, Florida Division of Forestry. No other information was received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
STAGECOACH	FL	FLS	11000	50	UNK	100	0	0	0	0	NR
BIG BEND	FL	FLS	150	60	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR
TORY ISLAND	FL	FLS	800	90	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR
RED BEACH	FL	FLS	500	80	2/23	39	0	0	0	0	NR
FLICKA	FL	FLS	1720	80	UNK	14	0	0	0	0	NR
BAHIA	FL	FLS	3200	NR	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR
JOAN	FL	FLS	400	75	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	NR
STAFFORD COMMAN	FL	FLS	250	85	UNK	6	0	0	0	0	NR
TALL PINE	FL	FNF	325	90	UNK	4	0	0	0	0	NR
LEYRY	FL	FNF	1500	NR	UNK	2	0	0	0	0	NR

CANAL COMMAND STATION	FL	FLS	175	100	---	8	0	0	0	0	NR
COBB MARSH	FL	FLS	1000	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR
DEAD RIVER	FL	FLS	1500	100	---	12	0	0	0	0	NR
TYRE ROAD	FL	FLS	136	100	---	32	0	0	0	0	NR
RANCH COMMAND	FL	FLS	1750	100	---	44	0	0	0	0	NR
DAVIS	FL	FLS	600	600	---	6	0	0	0	0	NR

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
MACBRIDE #1	TX	LAP	400	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR

OUTLOOK:

The South will have high pressure move back into the region today. Skies will be mostly clear to partly cloudy across much of the region, with a slight chance of showers across parts of central Florida. High temperatures should return to near normal, ranging from the mid 60's to the north part of the region, to the lower 80's in Florida.

A ridge of high pressure will build into Northern California today, while the latest Pacific storm drifts eastward into the Rockies. Snow will spread across much of the Central Rockies, extending northward into western Wyoming, southern Idaho and southwestern Montana. Fair weather is expected across the Pacific Northwest down through much of California for much of the day. Another frontal system is expected to begin moving inland on Saturday. High temperatures will range from the 20's across the Northern and Central Rockies to the mid 40's in the Pacific Northwest.

Rain showers are expected across the southern reaches of Arizona and New Mexico, while there is a possibility of snow in the northern mountains of the Southwestern States. High temperatures will be in the upper 60's for most of the Desert Southwest.

Moisture will be drawn into the Midwest by a strong low pressure system moving into the Plains. Snow showers will occur in the Northern Plains, while most locations south of Kansas to south Texas will see rain showers. By tomorrow afternoon, central Texas and Oklahoma will have a good chance of thunderstorms. East of the Mississippi River a high pressure system will continue with mostly clear to partly cloudy skies and light winds. High temperatures in the Midwest will range from the teens in the Northern Plains to the 70's in southern Texas.

A high pressure system building from the Great Lakes will push most of the snow showers out of New England. Clouds will dissipate producing mostly clear skies across most of the Northeast and winds will be gusty. Most of the Northeast will see high temperatures in the 30's, with warmer

temperatures southward to Virginia in the 50's.

FIRES AND ACRES PAST WEEK:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
NORTHWEST	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						1	1
CA-SOUTH	ACRES						0	0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
GB-EAST	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1					3	4
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	20					0	20
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES			1		687	27	715
SOUTHERN	ACRES			40		23324	383	23747
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	1	0	687	31	720
TOTAL	ACRES	20	0	40	0	23324	383	23767

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			1				1
ALASKA	ACRES			12891				12891
NORTHWEST	FIRES	1					4	5
NORTHWEST	ACRES	0					0	0
CA-NORTH	FIRES	1					2	3
CA-NORTH	ACRES	5					22	27
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		3	1		14	10	28
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		0	45		3	8379	8427
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
GB-EAST	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES		1					1
GB-WEST	ACRES		1					1
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	5			2		5	12

SOUTHWEST	ACRES	26			425		1	452
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES					16	20	36
EASTERN	ACRES					1201	226	1427
SOUTHERN	FIRES	6		9		7524	167	7706
SOUTHERN	ACRES	211		771		135241	3758	139981
TOTALS	FIRES	13	4	11	2	7554	208	7792
TOTALS	ACRES	242	1	13707	425	136445	12386	163206

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES PAST WEEK:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
NORTHWEST	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
GB-EAST	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						22	22
SOUTHWEST	ACRES						204	204
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES			7		1	43	51
SOUTHERN	ACRES			3306		169	48773	52248
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	7	0	1	65	73
TOTAL	ACRES	0	0	3306	0	169	48977	52452

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES		7	1				8
NORTHWEST	ACRES		137	1000				1137
CA-NORTH	FIRES	2	3	2			12	19
CA-NORTH	ACRES	26	24	2662			284	2996

CA-SOUTH	FIRES						5	5
CA-SOUTH	ACRES						136	136
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES					1		1
GB-EAST	ACRES					50		50
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	6	1				38	45
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	5971	50				1210	7231
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES			52		67	282	401
SOUTHERN	ACRES			29316		59202	252363	340881
TOTAL	FIRES	8	11	55	0	68	337	479
TOTAL	ACRES	5997	211	32978	0	59252	253993	352431

WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
NORTHWEST	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
GB-EAST	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
SOUTHWEST	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
SOUTHERN	ACRES							0
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA TOTALS	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

Area	Crews		Engs		Heli		Airt		Ovrhd	
	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST		2	2	4						
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST										
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN				10	1					19
TOTAL	0	2	2	14	1	0	0	0	0	19

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